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) Examiner: Leroux, Etienne Pierre
Georges Harik et al.)
) Group Art Unit: 2161
Serial No. 10/788,837)
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Filing Date: 26 February 2004)
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Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS	FOR)
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In connection with the above-referenced U. S. patent application, transmitted herewith are the following papers:

- [x] Response under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 to official action mailed <u>4 August 2006.</u>
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- [] Terminal disclaimer under 37 C.F. R. § 1.321(c), including
 - [] check for \$130.00 fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.20(d), and
 - [] 2 certificates under 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b).
- [] Information disclosure statement, form 1449 and ___ references.
- [x] No additional claims fees are required.

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AMENDMENT

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In response to the office action of **4 August 2006**, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 13 of this paper.